

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): WAUGH et al.

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Confirmation

No. 3791

For: COSMETIC FORMULATIONS CONTAINING L-ARGININE OLIGOMERS

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

VIA EFS.

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

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Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action dated March 24, 2006, Applicants respectfully request continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 in view of the following amendments and remarks. Applicants hereby Petition for a five-month extension of time following Applicants' Notice of Appeal filed on September 22, 2006, which made the deadline for response April 22, 2007. Because this deadline fell on a Sunday, the submission of this paper today, April 23, 2007 is timely. Applicants hereby authorize the Commissioner to charge Deposit Account 50-3732, Order No. 13720-105110US1 for the extension-of-time fee and for any other fee that may be necessary for the entry of this amendment.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.